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Hon. Alvin K. Hellerstein, U.S.D.J. United States District Court for the Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Rm. 1050 New York, NY 10007

Re: In Re: World Trade Center Disaster Site Litigation, 21 MC 100 (AKH); In Re: World Trade Center Lower Manhattan Disaster Site Litigation, 21 MC 102 (AKH); and In Re: Combined World Trade Center Disaster and Lower Manhattan Disaster Site Litigation, 21 MC 103 (AKH) (straddler)

Dear Judge Hellerstein:

As the Court is aware, on December 30, 2010, the Court entered an Order Accepting Report of Special Counsel and Providing for Effectiveness of Settlement. The Court previously extended the January 7, 2011 deadline for objecting to the terms contained in the Order to January 21, 2011. Defendants the City of New York and the Contractors¹ hereby seek an extension of that deadline for all aggrieved parties to January 31, 2011.

We appreciate the Court's consideration of this request. Should Your Honor have any questions or require any further information, we are available at the Court's convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ AMEC Construction Management, Inc., AMEC Earth & Environmental, Inc., Bovis Lend Lease LMB, Inc., Evergreen Recycling of Corona (E.R.O.C.), Plaza Construction Corp., Tully Construction Co., Inc., Turner Construction Company, and Turner/Plaza, A Joint Venture, as well as the entities identified in Exhibit A to the World Trade Center Litigation Settlement Process Agreement, as Amended.